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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF:

Allen, et al.

APPLICATION No.: 09/876,707

FILED: June 7, 2001

FOR: THERAPEUTIC LIPOSOME COMPOSITION
AND METHOD OF PREPARATION

EXAMINER: Kishore

ART UNIT: 1615

CONF. No: 1073

Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal

Subsection (b) of 35 U.S.C. §132, effective on May 29, 2000,
provides for continued examination of an utility or plant application,
filed on or after June 8, 1995.

See The American Inventors Protection Act of 1999 (AIPA).

Box: RCE
Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. §1.114 of the above-identified application.

Note: 37 C.F.R. §1.114 is effective on May 29, 2000. If the above-identified application was filed prior to May 29, 2000, applicant may wish to consider filing a continued prosecution application (CPA) under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(d) (PTO/SB/29) instead of a RCE to be eligible for the patent term adjustment provisions of the AIPA. See changes to Application Examination and Provisional Application Practice, Interim Rule, 65 Fed. Reg. 14865 (Mar. 20, 2000), 1233 Off. Gaz. Pat. Office 47 (Apr. 11, 2000), which established RCE practice.

1. Submission required under 37 C.F.R. §1.114

- ☒ Enclosed
 - ☒ Amendment/Reply
 - ☒ copy of USSN: 60/028,269 Application and Filing Receipt

2. Miscellaneous

- ☒ Petition to Revive Unintentionally Abandoned Application Under 37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)

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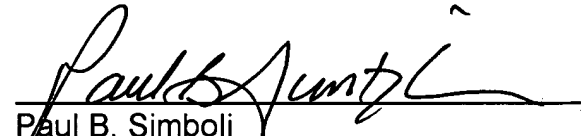
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3. **Fees** *The RCE fee under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) is required by 37 C.F.R. §1.114 when RCE is filed.*

- ☒ Please charge the amount of \$2050.00 to Deposit Account 01-1173 to cover the following fees.
 - ☒ RCE fee required under 37 C.F.R. §1.17(e) \$750
 - ☒ Petition to Revive Fee (37 C.F.R. §1.137(b)(2) \$1300
- ☒ The Director is hereby authorized to charge any underpayment in fees (or credit any overpayments) to Deposit Account No. 01-1173.

Respectfully submitted,

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